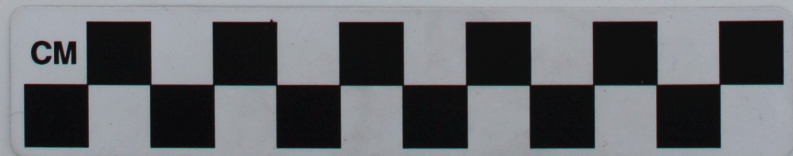


EE. 5830 Alder st. Pittsburg

My dear Miss Hartzell
I was surprised and very
glad to get your postal
card and you ask me
why I don't answer your
~~letter well~~ I never got
it, it must be in a
snow drift someplace
between here & California
but nevertheless I will expect
me later on telling me
what you are doing away
out there and how
long are you going to stay



² and what is the attraction out there
or is it your health. are you
nursing or did you get married
and go out on a trip you are
real mean for not telling me
just wait. I may go away to
and not tell you but I will
send you a Card. at Home.
well I am still nursing and
working with the same crowd
we are on Alder street. Miss
Lindley made us a visit last
fall for a couple of days she looks
just the same the girls here are
all out except myself and I
have had a very bad cold
and did not care to go for a few
days we have lots of calls so much
Typhoid every place. Mr. Beethel
has resigned and is going to
Allegheny General Hospital. Miss
Alice Agnew is assistant to Miss



Giles. I guess they are getting
along in the same old &
way I have not seen in
for three months. I cannot
think of any more news
just now but if you
answer I will try and
make it longer the next
time Elizabeth is very
well and going to school
I will close with much
love to you

Very sincerely

Blanche Melton

